

# BELTON PAGE

Devoted to the Upbuilding of Belton and Vicinity, and as a Medium for Communicating News and Advertising.

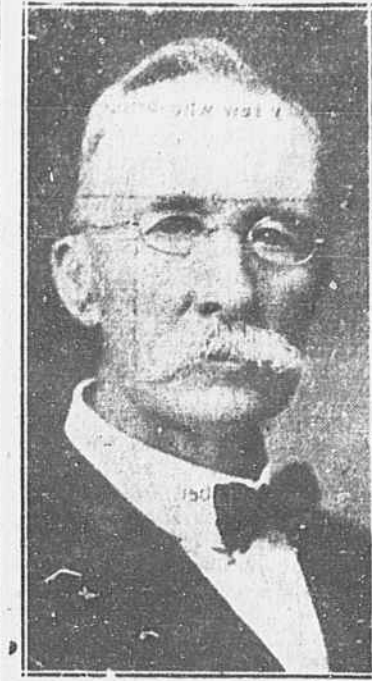
## WILL PAY DEBT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

Liberal Contributions Made by Our Citizens to Place School on Cash Basis

Several sessions ago the Belton schools ran into debt on account of some misunderstanding of a section of school law which prevented the collection of a tax levied to help out the school's appropriation. This has been hanging over the school district for some time and has been a millstone to prevent proper expansion and progress in the schools of the city. This finally was brought to the attention of the business men in so forcible a manner that they decided to wipe it out. Accordingly a committee consisting of two of the trustees, Dr. W. R. Haynie and Mr. J. T. West, and Mr. E. C. Frierson was appointed to take the matter up and see what could be raised by private subscription. This committee was appointed just before Christmas and as a result of their work over \$500 has been raised. The balance of the indebtedness will be wiped out in like manner.

The following are the contributions:

L. D. Blake	\$25.00
Dr. W. R. Haynie	25.00
Capt. J. B. Adger	20.00
Bank of Belton	25.00
W. K. Stringer	15.00
R. J. Gambrell	15.00
Jno. A. Horton	15.00
D. A. Geer	15.00
Will C. Clinkscales	15.00
W. H. Trammell	15.00
G. W. Haynie	10.00
Walter E. Geer	10.00
W. J. Moorehead	10.00
R. F. Horton	10.00
Belton Savings & Trust Co.	12.50
Farmers Bank	12.50
Dr. C. G. Todd	10.00
F. M. Cox	10.00
Peoples Bank	8.00
Jesse T. Drake	5.00
C. H. Strickland	5.00
W. C. Dick	5.00
J. F. McCuen	5.00
Edward C. Frierson	5.00
J. Millard Horton	5.00
I. W. Cox	5.00
W. F. Mattison	5.00
W. O. Kay	5.00
Dr. R. L. Parker	5.00
Cobb & Parker	5.00
Y. Shirley	\$2.00
Mrs. J. J. Jolley	2.00
John Caldwell	1.00
Press Williamson	2.00
N. G. Wright	1.00
E. M. Vaughn	1.00
C. W. Gaines	2.50
A. W. Boyce	2.50
N. S. Poore	1.00
Geo. Tate	1.00
Joel C. Kay	2.50
H. S. Wallace	1.00
I. A. Shirley	1.00
R. M. Vaughn	1.00
H. F. Hanks	2.00
J. A. Fant	.50
L. C. King	.50
P. Belin	1.00
C. M. Horton	1.00
J. H. Atwood	.50
Henry Clinkscales	1.00
J. K. Clement	1.00
J. A. Singleton	5.00
J. L. Kay	1.00
P. W. Burns	1.00
C. W. Crosley	1.00
C. C. Wilson	2.50
Jess Shealy	1.00
Will Harris	1.00
E. O. Frierson	1.00
Gilbert Campbell	1.00
J. M. Hand	1.00
A. J. Williamson	1.00
Grange S. Clithbert	2.00
R. N. Hanks	1.00
Guy Hanks	1.00
J. R. Acker	1.00
J. H. McCuen	2.00
J. P. Cox	2.00
Broadus Wright	1.00
Rufus Shirley	1.00
H. B. Campbell	1.00
Louis Bell, Jr.	1.00
L. A. Wern	1.00
Max Rice	1.00
C. O. Bowls	1.00
W. F. Acker	1.00
A. E. Kay	1.00
J. R. Simpson	.25
Mrs. Cunningham	1.00
J. O. Banister	.50
J. R. McConnell	1.00
W. E. Todd	1.00
A. W. Campbell	1.00
M. T. Roberts	3.00



THE MAYOR OF BELTON  
Hon. C. E. Clement, One of the Best Citizens of the County.

## THE BELTON NEWS PLANT HAS BEEN SOLD

Anderson Intelligencer Takes Over Plant and Will Run Job Office

A deal has just been completed here in which the Belton News plant has been taken over by The Anderson Intelligencer. For several weeks there has been no issue of the Belton News, it having practically suspended publication.

It is the intention of The Intelligencer to conduct a job printing plant at the site of the Belton News, making this headquarters for the Intelligencer at Belton. The Intelligencer will conduct a Belton page every day, filled with live news and advertising from Belton and vicinity. As soon as arrangements can be completed, a competent man will be put in charge of the Belton plant, who will look after the advertising, job printing and news.

It is the opinion of many of the leading citizens of Belton that these arrangements will be preferable to a weekly paper printed at Belton. The Intelligencer will be received at Belton at seven o'clock each morning and be distributed by carriers over the city, and the news of Belton will be received each day at Belton, instead of once a week, as was the custom when the Belton News was published.

For the present the Belton office will be in charge of Mr. A. L. Knight, who will look after the business of the office.

Belton, the hub of the Piedmont.

## McCUEN ON THE SQUARE

Young in business but our motto is old — "Give Everybody a Square Deal"

M. Thomas McCuen

Dry Goods and Notions, Ladies' and

Children's Fine Shoes. BELTON, S. C.

### BELTONETTES.

A fact which is not generally known is that Belton receives the weather forecasts each day direct from Washington from the weather bureau and then distributes it by mail to all the other cities and towns of the Piedmont. This is a distinction and shows that Belton is strictly on the job when it comes to matters progressive.

On account of the fact that several trains have been discontinued by the Piedmont & Northern Lines, Belton now has only 72 passenger trains, and 28 freight trains to arrive and

leave each day. Thus it will be seen that this city has only 100 ways to get into and out of the best little city of the Piedmont section of South Carolina.

The merchants of Belton have finished taking stock and casting up accounts for the past year. They are all pleased with their year's work, and many of them claim to have done the best business in the history of their careers. Situated in the midst of the most fertile farming lands of the State, and surrounded by prosperous and progressive farmers there is no wonder attach to this splendid showing.

## JOB PRINTING

THE plant of The Belton News has been purchased by us, and it will be run as a Job Printing Plant. Already splendidly equipped, additional machinery and equipment will be added to enable us to handle all orders, large or small.

Competent and Experienced Workmen

will be employed and our efforts will be to merit the patronage of those needing commercial stationery.

Let Us Do Your Printing

The Anderson Intelligencer

JOB PRINTING DEPARTMENT  
BELTON, S. C.

## Money Saved Here

...We are now getting in our...

## SPRING GOODS

and are prepared to supply your wants in all FARMING IMPLEMENTS AT EXTREMELY LOW PRICES.

We have one of the best lines of GROCERIES in town. Be sure to see us before buying your supply of FLOUR. We can save you money.

OUR DRY GOODS AND SHOE STOCK ALWAYS COMPLETE.

Belton  
Mercantile Co.  
BELTON, SOUTH CAROLINA.

## BEST OF EVERYTHING at FRIERSON'S

When in need of anything to be found in a Modern Drug Store, "Get It At Frierson's If You Want The Best Results."

WE CARRY THE MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF ANY DRUG STORE IN BELTON.

## OUR PRICES ARE REASONABLE

We give you the best service, we never substitute, and everything that we handle is of the best quality. Come in and give us a trial, and be convinced of the above facts.

## FRIERSON'S PHARMACY

THE LEADING DRUG STORE BELTON SOUTH CAROLINA

### Wedding Bells?

LET US SUPPLY THE INVITATIONS.

WIDEAWAKE PEOPLE SAVE MONEY BY READING THE ADS. IN THIS PAPER. WATCH THEM FOR BARGAINS

### HANDBILLS?

We Print Them

## The Bank of Belton

Surplus Over \$120,000.00

"THE BANK THAT ALWAYS HAS THE MONEY"

YOUR money is safe in our bank. You don't have to worry about its safety, for behind our bank are the combined resources of some of the strongest financial men in the county. Put your money where it's safe. Life is easy sailing if you have a good balance in a savings account with our bank. 4 per cent. on savings deposits.

ELLISON A. SMYTH,  
President

WALTER E. GREER,  
Vice-Pres. & Cashier

HENRY R. CAMPBELL,  
Assistant Cashier



A STREET SCENE IN BELTON.